



Minnesota Department of **Human Services**

August 3, 2016

Honorable Tony Lourey
Minnesota Senate
95 University Avenue West
Minnesota Senate Bldg., Room 2105
St. Paul, MN 55155-1606

Honorable Matt Dean
Minnesota House of Representatives
401 State Office Building
100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Senator Lourey and Representative Dean:

I write to provide you with information on the redesign, closure, and relocation of state-operated services programs as required by Minnesota Statutes 246.128. The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) provides this notification on January 1 and July 1 of each year.

While DHS provides this report twice a year, the information is dynamic and often changes over several months or years based on service need. As a result, this document provides a snapshot of the state-operated programs in transition at a given point in time (e.g. January 1 and July 1).

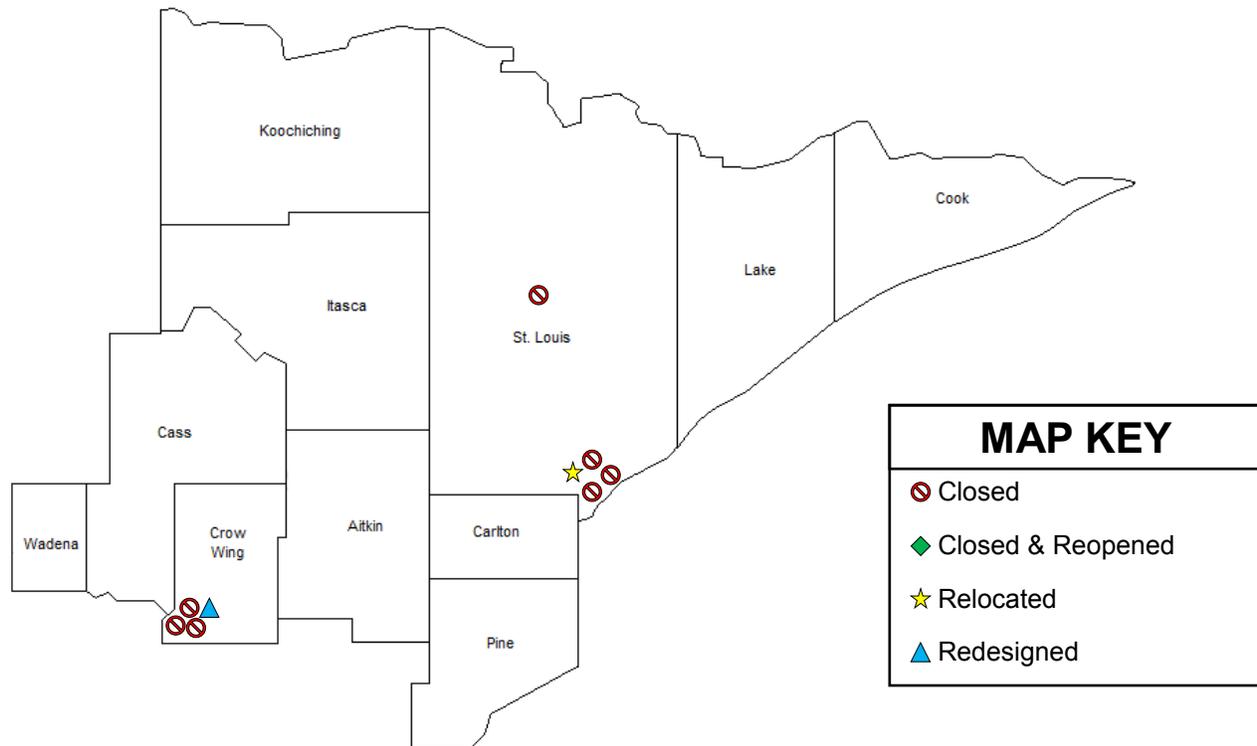
As you can see on the attachment, DHS identifies programs within one of four categories. We consider a program "Closed" if the state discontinues providing services at a given location. If identified as "Closed & Reopened," DHS closes a program (see previous definition) but then opens a new program or begins providing a new service at the same location. In instances of programming that has been "Relocated," we provide the same services at a new location, which requires a change in licensing. We apply the term "Redesigned" when there is no change to the nature of the services provided, but rather a change in the focus of people served by these services (e.g., specialized chemical dependency treatment services).

If you have any questions or concerns about this communication or the attached report please contact me directly at nancy.a.johnston@dhs.mn.us or 651-431-4390.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Commissioner
Direct Care & Treatment Administration
Minnesota Department of Human Services

Map of Northeast Minnesota Counties



DEFINITIONS

Minnesota State Operated Community Services (MSOCS)

Residential

- support services for people with mental illnesses, chemical dependency, brain injury, and intellectual disabilities

Vocational

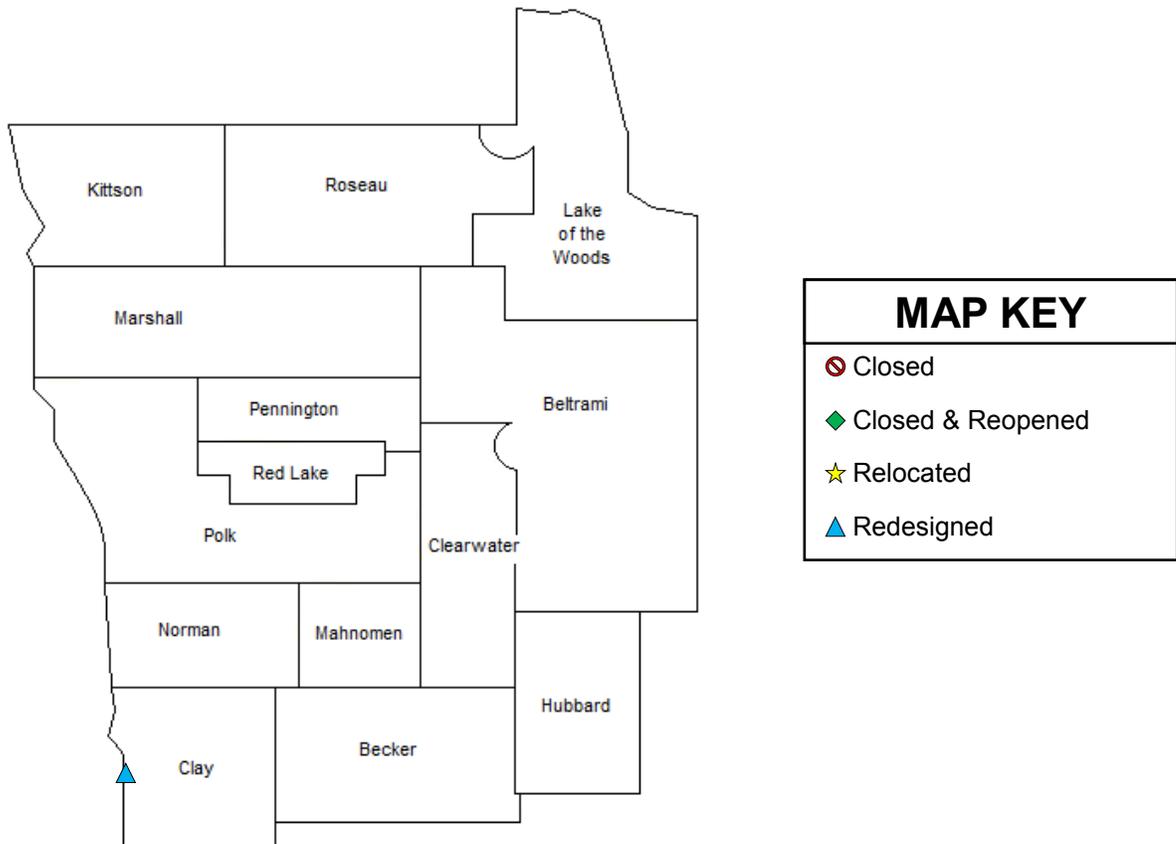
- site and community based vocational and support locations
- provide individualized vocational training, assessment, job training
- supports for people with mental illness, chemical dependency, brain injury and intellectual disabilities.

Community Addiction Recovery Enterprise (C.A.R.E.)

- inpatient residential and outpatient substance abuse treatment centers.



Map of Northwest Minnesota Counties



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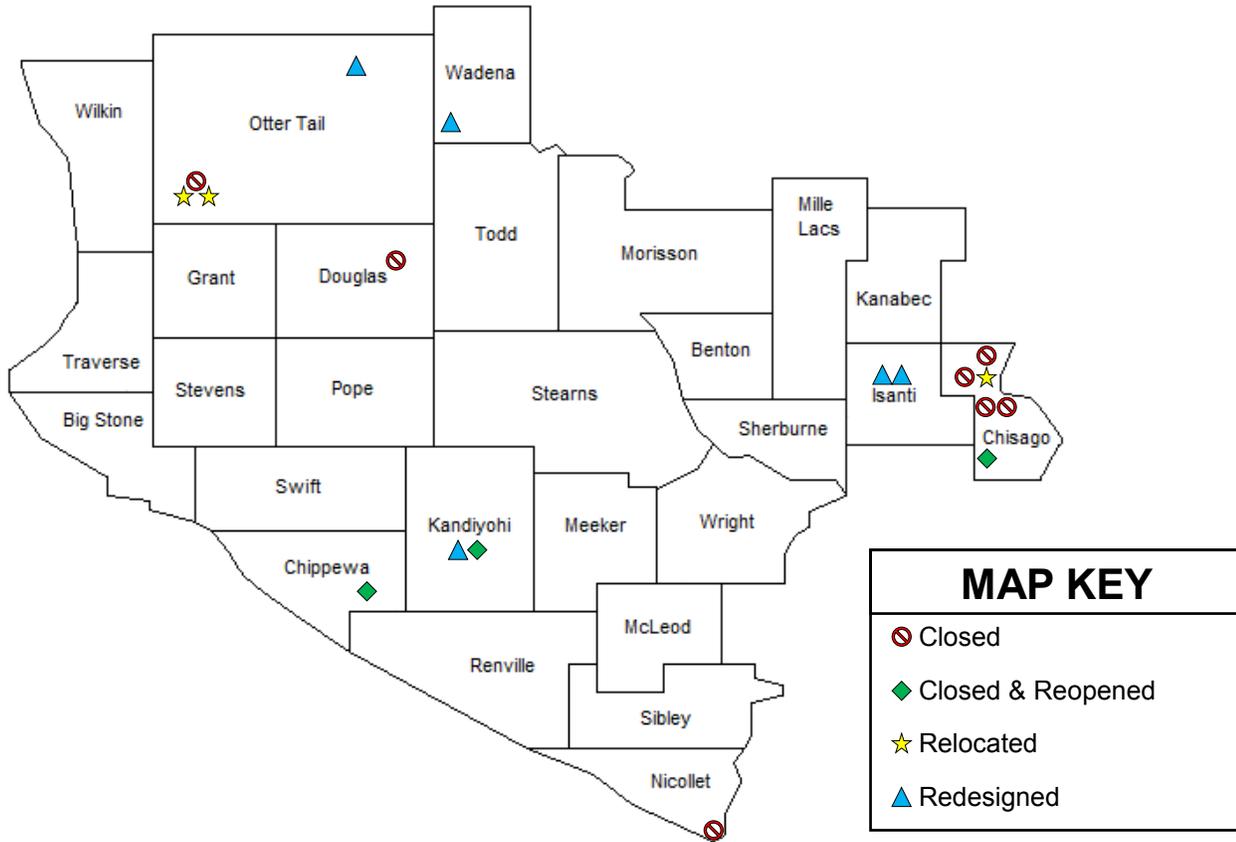
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Map of Central Minnesota Counties



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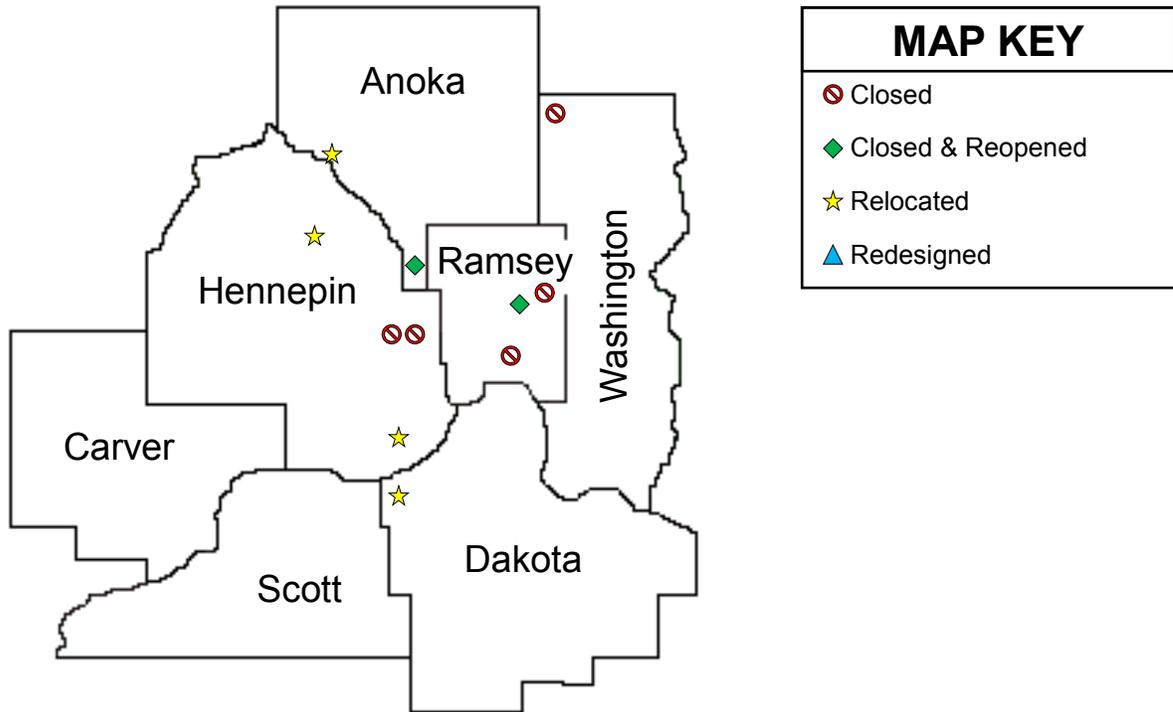
- support services for people with mental illnesses, chemical dependency, brain injury, and intellectual disabilities

Vocational

- site and community based vocational and support locations
- provide individualized vocational training, assessment, job training



Map of Minnesota Metro Counties



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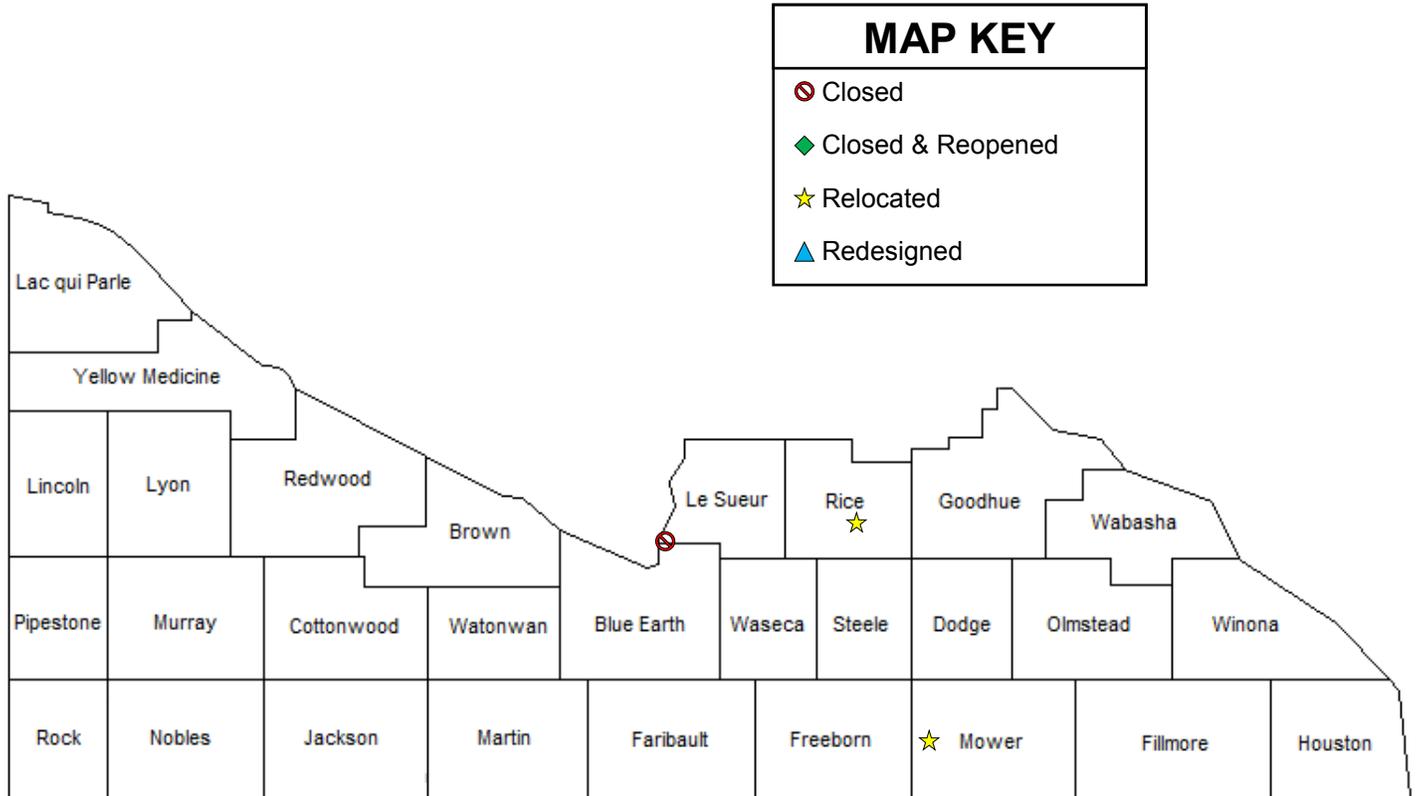
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Map of Southern Minnesota Counties



DEFINITIONS

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Residential

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